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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:

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<u>PETITION FOR WITHDRAWAL FROM ISSUE - ISSUE FEE PAID</u> (37 C.F.R. § 1.313(c)(2))

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PATENT TRADEMARK OFFICE

Dear Sir:

Applicants hereby petition for the withdrawal of this application from issue. The issue fee for this case has been paid on December 12, 2005.

Reason for Withdrawal Request

The reason for the request for withdrawal from issue is for consideration of a request for continued examination under § 1.114.

Petition Fee

Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$130.00 for the petition fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(h).

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